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AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 14th Day of *March*, 1761,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council.

This Day the Lords Lieutenants of the following Counties took the Oaths appointed to be taken, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy, *viz.*

Bucks, Richard Earl Temple.
Dorset, Anthony Ashley Earl of Shaftesbury.
Huntingdon, Robert Duke of Manchester.

St. James's, March 14.

THE following Addresses have been presented to His Majesty: Which Addresses His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Governor in Chief of the Leeward Islands, and of the Council of Antigua.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Governor in Chief of your Majesty's Leeward Charibbee Islands, and the Council of your Majesty's Island Antigua, humbly beg Leave to approach your Sacred Majesty, with our most sincere Condoleance on the Death of our late Sovereign, of blessed and glorious Memory; whose Royal Virtues were the Ornament of His Crown, the Security of His Subjects, and the Terror of His Enemies.

We should be inconsolable for so great a Loss at this Critical Juncture, but that we see in your Majesty the noblest Emulation of those Royal Virtues, joined to the tenderest Affection for your Native Country.

Animated by this glorious Prospect, we presume to address your Majesty with our warmest Congratulations on your Succession to the British Throne, and to the Hearts of the British Nation: And may the Almighty God give a Blessing to your Majesty's Endeavours to promote the Glory and Happiness of your Kingdoms, and by a vigorous Prosecution of this just and necessary War, to bring on an honourable Peace; that your Majesty may long enjoy a quiet and an happy Reign over a grateful and a loyal People.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the General Assembly of your Majesty's Island Antigua.

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Representatives of your Majesty's Island Antigua, met in General Assembly, join most zealously with all your People, in the universal Acclamations of Joy, for your happy Accession to the Throne of your Royal Grandfather, of glorious Memory, whose Death we consider with filial Piety, as a triumphal Passage to a better State, among the best of Kings, after being blessed with the most signal Victories, and crowned with Lawrels, in a ripe old Age, that will bloom in History, to future Ages.

Educated under the Influences of so great and good a Parent, and animated by his Example, your Majesty has undoubtedly imbibed all the Virtues of so venerable an Ancestor; particularly that Love for His Subjects, which endears His Memory, and adorned Him, most justly, with the Title of Father of His People.

May your Majesty pursue, with Success, the same glorious Plan for preserving the Liberties of Europe, and continuing the same Happiness to all your Dominions; among which, these distant Parts have, by His Protection, felt the Calm of Peace during a most bloody War. May your Majesty enjoy the same Glory and Felicity to a greater Length of Days, and transmit to your Posterity, a Kingdom worthy of their Inheritance.

Prince Ferdinand's Head Quarters at Schwunsberg, March 3. The Army, after having halted the 25th, arrived, by several Divisions, on the 26th, 27th, and 28th past, in their Quarters of Cantonment, between the Rivers Schwalme and Ohme. My Lord Granby, with Major General d'Oheimb under him, having posted himself upon the last-mentioned River, the Corps of the Enemy, under the Command of M. de Rouge, fell back on Giessen, from whence they continued their Retreat towards Francfort and Hanau. My Lord Granby then took post between the Lahne and the Ohme: Some of the Light Troops under him, made a Party of an Irish Regiment Prisoners of War at Amuneburg,

The Corps under the Hereditary Prince has been reinforced by a Part of the Troops lately under the Command of General Sporcken, who has rejoined the Army with the Remainder; and the Prince was at Lauterbach on the 25th past; and, we hear, took Possession of Budingen Yesterday, after having dislodged the Enemy from thence.

Count La Lippe having made the necessary Preparations for the Siege of Cassel, opened the Trenches on the 1st Instant at Night.

Lieutenant Colonel Stockhausen having met with a Detachment of the Enemy near Kauffungen, dispersed it, and took 60 Prisoners.

We hear that Count de Vaux marched out of Gottingen with the greatest Part of his Garrison, made himself Master of Duderstadt, and the Garrison there. A Detachment, from the Garrison of Waldeck, having been sent out, on the 24th at Night, to annoy our Convoys, met at Freyenhagen with one of our Parties, who was patrolling about that Neighbourhood to awe the Castle of Waldeck, and to protect our Convoys; Captain Wittenius, who commanded them, a brave and experienced Officer, having the Misfortune to be dangerously wounded at the first Onset, the Advantage was on the Side of the Enemy, who took 30 Horses. They failed however in their main Design, the Convoy arriving at its Destination, except two Waggons, which fell into their Hands. The Measures we have taken, give us no Apprehensions about our Communications. Lieutenant General Hardenberg is assembling a considerable Body on the Upper Lippe, to be ready to march where Occasion calls.

Major General Schluter, in order to streighten the Fortress of Ziegenhayn, formed Yesterday the Design of getting Possession of the Suburbs called Weichhaus. This Enterprise had all the Success desired. The Suburbs were attacked, and carried with great Bravery. The Enemy lost in the Action 30 Men killed and wounded; and two of their Officers, and 56 Men, were taken Prisoners. Our Loss consists in six killed, and 16 wounded. M. de Schluter proposed to M. de Zuckmantel, who commanded in Ziegenhayn, to make a Convention for the Suburbs, but this Propositon was rejected, contrary to the Practice in all such Cases; and the Commandant having fired from the Fortress on the Suburbs, M. de Schluter, to save the Houses, drew off his Troops, and placed them in their former Quarters. His Aide de Camp was killed in this Action.

War

War Office, March 14, 1761.

IT is His Majeſty's Pleaſure, That all Officers, belonging to Regiments in Germany, who are not abſent upon Regimental Buſineſs, ſhould join their reſpective Corps without Delay.

By His Majeſty's Command,
BARRINGTON.

Whitehall, March 14.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint the following Lords and Gentlemen to be Generals and Lieutenants General, *viz.*

Generals.

David Montelieu, Baron de St. Hypolite,
John Earl of Weſtmoreland,
Roger Handaſyd,
James Lord Tyrawly.

Lieutenant-Generals.

Edward Cornwallis,
Edward Carr,
George Boſcawen,
Thomas Earl of Effingham,
George Howard,
Robert Rich,
Joſeph Yorke,
Sir John Whitfoord, Bart.
William Kingſley,
Charles Lord Cathcart,
William Whitmore,
Alexander Duroure,
William Belford,
Bennet Noel.

Whitehall, March 14.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Honourable George Lord Anſon, the Office and Offices of Vice Admiral of Great Britain, Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, and alſo of Lieutenant of the Navies and Seas of Great Britain.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Sir William Rowley, Knight of the Bath, the Office and Offices of Rear Admiral of Great Britain, and of the Admiralty thereof, and of Rear Admiral of the Navies and Seas of Great Britain.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Charles Saunders, Eſq; the Office of Treaſurer and Receiver General of Greenwich Hoſpital.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Iſaac Townſhend, Eſq; to be Maſter of Greenwich Hoſpital.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Honourable George Grenville, Eſq; the Office of Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto the Right Honourable Henry Fox, Eſq; the Office of Receiver and Paymaſter General of all His Majeſty's Forces.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Sir Francis Charlton, Bart. the Office of Receiver General of the Poſt Office.

The King has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable Percy Earl of Thomond of the Kingdom of Ireland, to be Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Houſehold.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Mansfield Cardonnel, Alexander Legrand, Joſeph Tuder, and Robert Montgomerie, Eſqrs. together with, Corbyn Morris, Eſq; in the Room of James Ogilvie, Eſq; commonly called Lord Deſkfoord, to be Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms and other Duties for that Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

The King has been pleaſed to nominate and appoint Stephen Comyn, Eſq; to be Collector or Receiver of the perpetual yearly Tenths of the Clergy.

The King has been pleaſed to nominate, conſtitute and appoint Sir Jeffreys Elves, Knt. to be Treaſurer to the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy.

The King has been pleaſed to nominate, conſtitute and appoint Henry Montagu, Eſq; to be Secretary to the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Thomas Durell, Eſq; the Office of Viſcount of the Iſland of Jerſey.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Robert Goodere and Benjamin Slade, Eſqrs. the Office of Water Bailiff of the River Thames.

Admiralty Office, March 14.

The King having been pleaſed to appoint the following Gentlemen to be Officers in His Marine Forces, it is the Direction of the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty, that the Second Lieutenants hereafter named, do immediately repair to this Office, where Commiſſions will be delivered to ſuch of them as ſhall be approved of: After which they are to repair to the reſpective Head Quarters of the Companies to which they belong, unleſs they are commanded elſewhere by their ſuperior Officers.

Comp.	*Captains.*
131	Francis Burke, Eſq;
132	James Scott, Eſq;
133	James Wilſon, Eſq;
57	George Wade, Eſq;
112	William Fordyce, Eſq;
	Firſt Lieutenants.
131	Edward Eagles, Gent.
20	Ronald M'Donald, Gent.
66	Charles Chalmers, Gent.
32	Alexander Lyon, Gent.
40	James Gray, Gent.
68	Manners Liſle, Gent.
90	Francis Hill, Gent.
38	James Urquhart, Gent.
67	Eben. Kirkpatrick, Gent.
69	James Johnſton, Gent.
69	Alexander M'Leod, Gent.
71	Daniel Belt, Gent.
72	Archibald Simpſon, Gent.
73	Stephen Nevinſon, Gent.
74	James M'Donald, Gent.
75	Alexander Livingſton, Gent.
76	John Chriſtian, Gent.
77	John Jeffreys, Gent.
78	Alpine Grant, Gent.
80	David Johnſton, Gent.
81	William Pritchard, Gent.
79	Alexander Hume, Gent.
82	Bartholomew Chaundy, Gent.
84	Arthur Buttle, Gent.
83	Joſeph Baynes, Gent.
85	John Maſſie, Gent.
36	Henry Weir, Gent.
86	William Walker, Gent.
87	Francis Ward, Gent.
89	John Stretch, Gent.
92	Honourable Otway Cuffe, Gent.
88	John Webber, Gent.
91	Fenton Griffiths, Gent.
90	Alexander Briſbane, Gent.
94	John Clarke, Gent.
93	Fiſher Walford, Gent.
95	John Tebay, Gent.
96	John Percevall, Gent.
97	Henry Pitt Sutton, Gent.
98	Samuel Harris, Gent.
99	James Wood, Gent.
100	James Bowen, Gent.
17	Owen Roberts, Gent.
70	Benjamin Plowman, Gent.
33	Samuel Davis, Gent.
	Second Lieutenants.
64	James Stevens, Gent.
131	Coſslet Waring, Gent.
51	William Ker, Gent.
39	Thomas Sims, Gent.
56	John Morriſon, Gent.
118	Howdal Rich, Gent.
33	Edward Humfrey, Gent.
41	Joſeph Tiſhburn, Gent.
46	David Innes, Gent.
49	Morgan Jones Lewis, Gent.
5	James Taylor, Gent.
26	Baſil Monteith, Gent.
48	John Ferguſon, Gent.
85	Walter Scott, Gent.

47 Thomas Curry, Gent.
90 Cornelius Burton, Gent.
81 Bell, Gent.
22 Benjamin Robinſon, Gent.
5 William Ball, Gent.
46 William Wilkins, Gent.
2 Robert Graham, Gent.
9 James Wilſon, Gent.
16 William Stewart, Gent.
37 Charles Richardſon, Gent.
29 Joſeph Barnes, Gent.
67 John Boudinoff, Gent.
58 John White, Gent.
35 John Hepburn, Gent.
63 John Goddard, Gent.
27 Thomas Watſon, Gent.
12 Pollexfen Penfound, Gent.
47 Henry Nicholls, Gent.
22 John Nebone, Gent.
89 Richard Howdal, Gent.
3 Henry Davies, Gent.
7 Alexander Dun, Gent.
14 Henry Becket, Gent.
127 William Watſon, Gent.
107 Timothy Veal, Gent.
106 Henry Briggs, Gent.
116 George Shaw, Gent.
68 William Fiſher, Gent.
102 Richard Bright, Gent.
15 Francis Lewis, Gent.
98 Samuel Barnes, Gent.
71 Titus Conyers, Gent.
35 Gilbert Blair, Gent.
4 David Lyon, Gent.
52 Thomas Medelle, Gent.
125 James Johnſton, Gent.
71 John Fife, Gent.
106 George Field, Gent.
79 Thomas Lewis, Gent.
27 Thomas Mounſier, Gent.
128 Richard Fielder, Gent.
89 William Carrol, Gent.

J. Cleveland.

St. James's, March 11, 1761.

This Day Prince Gallitzin, Envoy Extraordinary from the Empreſs of Ruſſia, had a private Audience of His Majeſty, to deliver his new Credential Letters.

To which he was introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Holderneſſe, one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Maſter of the Ceremonies.

Admiralty-Office, March 14.

Captain Douglas, of His Majeſty's Ship Unicorn, gives an Account, in his Letter dated at Falmouth the 8th Inſtant, that the Day before, he met with His Majeſty's Ship Tweed, and in ſtanding together towards the Lizard, they took the Marſhal Broglio Privateer, of 8 Guns, and 80 Men, belonging to Breſt, but laſt from Morlaix.

Whitehall, March 14, 1761.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that the following Letter has been wrote to Sir Walter Blackett, Bart. in Charles Street, St. James's Square, viz.

Sir, Febry 26th 1761.

I As your Mos herty well wiſhar take this Liberty to Acquaint you with the Dark diſine's Laid againſt your Honour's Perſon as I Virey Strangley heard of it by great Accedent I think it my Duty to tell you your Life is ABſalutly agreed upon to Bee taken away upon the Account you have taken the Vails from your Sarv^{ts} thair is A Cartin Earl or Tow that is to Share the ſame fate I find when A Convenient OPertunity Sarves thair is Likewiſe S^{r} James Lowther & C. in the Liſt which I am Much Affraid will End in Evel Concider your honours Life & Fortunes is All at Stake Drop that wrong Proſieding & So Adviſe you'r Friends I muſt Concl'd wth Telling you I have no intereſt in it my Celfe But interle for your hon^{r} Perſon & the wellfare of the Engluſh Nation I am with All Dutifull

Reſpects yours

A Trewarth.

His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the Threats mentioned in the ſaid Letter, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them who ſhall diſcover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof. HOLDERNESSE.

And as a farther Encouragement, the ſaid Sir Walter Blackett does hereby promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to the Writer of the ſaid Letter, upon his diſcovering the Perſon or Perſons aforeſaid, or to any other Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery, to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

W. Blackett.

Navy Office, March 3, 1761.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that on Monday the 16th Inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſupply this Office, and His Majeſty's ſeveral Yards, with Coals, that they may attend with their Propoſals at that Time.

March 14, 1761.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, that a General Court to conſider of a Dividend will be held at the Bank on Thurſday next the 19th Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

And alſo that another General Court will be held at the Bank on Tueſday the 7th of April next, from Nine in the Forenoon to Six in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor and Deputy Governor for the Year enſuing, which Election will be declared that Evening: And the ſaid Court will be continued by Adjournment, and held at the ſame Place, and during the ſame Hours, on Wedneſday the 8th of April, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors (which will be alſo one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.) And the Election of the Twenty-four Directors will be declared as ſoon as the Scrutiny is over.

Printed Liſts of the Proprietors having Votes will be ready to be delivered at the Bank on Saturday the 28th Inſtant. Robert Lewin, *Secretary.*

South Sea Houſe, London, March 12, 1761.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, that the Tranſfer Books of Old South Sea Annuities, will be ſhut on Friday the 27th Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened on Wedneſday the 29th of April next. And that the Warrants for the Half Year's Intereſt due thereon the 5th of April next, will be paid on Thurſday the 7th of May following, on which Day of Payment the Tranſfer Books of 3 per Cent. Annuities 1751, *will be ſhut.*

Office of Ordnance, March 14, 1761.

The Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they will be ready to treat for about Six Hundred Tons of Shipping, on Tueſday next, at their Office in Old Palace Yard, Weſtminſter.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, March 13, 1761.

The Receiver-General of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms gives Notice, That he ſhall be ready, on the 26th of March Inſtant, and the four following uſual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn Debentures that became due between the 26th of February 1761, *excluſive, and the 8th of March following incluſive, without Intereſt.*

The ſaid Receiver-General gives this farther Notice, That in Caſe any of the ſaid Debentures ſhall remain unpaid for Want of being tendered for Payment on one of the five Days above-mentioned, that no Intereſt will be paid thereon.

Engliſh Copper Houſe, March 11, 1761.

The Governor and Company of Copper Mines in England hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Buſh Lane, on Thurſday the 2d of April next, from Ten in the Forenoon till One in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy-Governor, and Ten Aſſiſtants for the Year enſuing; and to conſider of a Dividend. Alſo that the Tranſfer Books of the ſaid Company will be ſhut from Wedneſday the 18th Inſtant, till Wedneſday the 8th of April next. They further give Notice, that printed Liſts of the Proprietors of reduced Shares will be ready to be delivered at the ſaid Houſe on Friday the 27th Inſtant.

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